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March 2, 2004

Kiran Bhayani  
Division of Water Quality  
288 North 1460 West  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

Re: Receipt of Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations; Oil  
Tech, Inc.; Rawhide Mine; M/047/46, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Bhayani:

As per the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Environmental Quality and the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, signed September 1, 1999, we are forwarding a copy of the above-referenced Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations for your review. We anticipate completing our review within the next 30 days and would appreciate receiving your comments by March 26, 2004. Please call me at 801-538-5261 if you have any questions about the review process or about the plan.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker, Reclamation Biologist  
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

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